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PART V

SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE TENTH SATURDAY IN FEBRUARY 1948.

(6TH MARCH 1948).

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 6th March 1948

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week 23·87	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1948 — This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (−) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 +14·63
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk ...	0 12	0 42	00 67	00 92	−0 25
Hoskote ...	0 00	0 20	00 36	00 52	−0 16
Dodballapur ...	0 18	...	00 76	00 91	−0 15
Nelamangala ...	0 03	...	00 34	00 68	−0 34
Kankanhalli ...	0 06	...	00 40	00 89	−0 49
Magadi ...	0 00	...	00 49	00 98	−0 49
Channapatna ...	0 03	0 05	00 46	00 87	−0 41
Anekal ...	0 10	...	00 65	00 95	−0 30
Devanhalli ...	0 14	0 30	00 60	00 99	−0 39
Closepet ...	0 00	...	00 39	00 78	−0 39
District Average ...	0 07	0 10	00 51	00 92	−0 41
KOLAR.					
Kolar ...	0 04	0 54	00 68	00 82	−0 14
Bowringpet ...	0 07	0 52	00 74	00 96	−0 22
Chintamani ...	0 06	0 32	00 50	00 68	−0 18
Mulbagal ...	0 04	0 27	00 92	01 57	−0 65
Sidlaghatta ...	0 04	0 18	00 67	00 106	−0 39
Chikballapur ...	0 09	...	00 90	01 80	−0 90
Bagepalli ...	0 04	...	00 36	00 72	−0 36
Goribidnur ...	0 03	...	00 43	00 91	−0 48
Malur ...	0 04	0 56	00 59	01 62	−0 03
Srinivaspur ...	0 06	...	00 75	01 50	−0 75
Gudibanda ...	0 04	...	00 57	01 14	−0 57
District Average ...	0 05	0 22	00 64	01 06	−0 42
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur ...	0 09	...	00 38	00 76	−0 38
Madhugiri ...	0 09	...	00 46	00 92	−0 46
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0 03	...	00 36	00 72	−0 36
Sira ...	0 03	...	00 32	00 64	−0 32
Gubbi ...	0 04	...	00 35	00 70	−0 35
Tiptur ...	0 00	...	00 19	00 38	−0 19
Pavagada ...	0 05	...	00 37	00 74	−0 37
Kunigal ...	0 05	...	00 27	00 54	−0 27
Kortagere ...	0 06	...	00 42	00 84	−0 42
Turuvekere ...	0 03	...	00 30	00 60	−0 30
District Average ...	0 04	...	00 34	00 68	−0 34
MYSORE					
Mysore ...	0 06	...	00 48	00 96	−0 48
Chamarajnagar ...	0 13	...	00 59	01 55	−0 59
Hunsur ...	0 00	...	00 37	00 74	−0 37
Krishnarajnagar ...	0 01	...	00 36	00 72	−0 36
Heggaddevankote ...	0 05	0 31	00 66	00 91	−0 25
Gundlupet ...	0 00	...	00 51	01 02	−0 51
Nanjangud ...	0 00	0 95	00 57	00 57	+0 38
T.-Narsipur ...	0 00	0 12	00 50	01 00	−0 38
Periyapatna ...	0 04	...	00 58	01 16	−0 58
District Average ...	0 03	0 15	00 50	01 25	−0 35

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya ...	0 06	...	00 53	00 106	−0 53
Seringapatam ...	0 07	...	00 50	01 00	−0 50
Malvalli ...	0 03	0 44	00 54	00 44	+0 10
Krishnarajpet ...	0 02	1 10	00 33	00 110	+0 77
Nagamangala ...	0 05	0 15	00 48	01 00	−0 33
Maddur ...	0 00	0 13	00 40	01 00	−0 27
French-Rocks ...	0 03	...	00 44	01 00	−0 44
District Average ...	0 04	0 26	00 43	01 00	−0 17
HASSAN.					
Hassan ...	0 00	0 11	00 40	00 69	−0 29
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	0 06	1 40	00 40	00 39	+1 00
Arkalgud ...	0 04	...	00 53	01 06	−0 53
Belur ...	0 03	0 22	00 40	00 58	−0 18
Channarayapatna ...	0 00	...	00 23	00 46	−0 23
Arsikere ...	0 01	...	00 37	00 74	−0 37
Hole-Narsipur ...	0 03	...	00 36	01 12	−0 36
Alur ...	0 03	...	00 43	01 06	−0 43
District average ...	0 02	0 22	00 39	01 00	−0 17
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga ...	...	0 22	00 25	00 78	−0 03
Channagiri ...	0 02	...	00 28	00 56	−0 28
Honnali ...	0 04	...	00 45	01 00	−0 45
Shikarpur ...	...	...	00 13	00 26	−0 13
Sorab ...	...	...	00 15	00 30	−0 15
Sagar ...	...	0 25	00 22	00 18	+0 03
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	...	...	00 17	00 34	−0 17
Tirthahalli ...	...	0 26	00 22	00 18	+0 04
Kumsi ...	0 01	...	00 16	00 32	−0 16
District Average ...	0 01	0 08	00 23	00 38	−0 15
CHIKMAGALUR.					
Chikmagalur ...	...	0 28	00 53	01 03	−0 25
Kadur ...	0 02	0 56	00 35	00 31	+0 21
Tarikere ...	...	0 14	00 33	00 52	−0 19
Koppa ...	...	...	00 48	01 00	−0 48
Mudgere ...	...	1 13	00 33	00 53	+0 80
Narasimharajpura ...	...	...	00 27	00 54	−0 27
Sringeri ...	...	...	00 28	00 56	−0 28
District Average ...	0 00	0 30	00 37	00 74	−0 07
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug ...	0 04	0 12	00 50	01 00	−0 36
Challakere ...	0 08	...	00 49	01 00	−0 49
Hiriyur ...	0 00	...	00 29	00 58	−0 29
Holalkere ...	0 04	...	00 46	01 00	−0 46
Davangere ...	0 05	...	00 28	00 56	−0 28
Molakalmuru ...	0 07	...	00 51	01 02	−0 51
Jagalur ...	0 04	...	00 66	01 32	−0 66
Hosdurga ...	0 04	...	00 39	01 18	−0 39
Harihar ...	0 00	0 27	00 27	00 54	−0 27
District Average ...	0 04	0 01	00 43	01 00	−0 42
Provincial Average ...	0 03	1 14	00 42	01 00	−0 28

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 10TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 6TH MARCH 1948.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	12·0
	Kulthi ...	2·8	2·8	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	6·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	5·0	5·0	10·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	6·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	4·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	12·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·0	2·0	4·0
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	5·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	10·0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	9·0
	Kadale ...	2·8	2·8	10·0
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	4·8
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	8·0
	Kulthi ...	3·4	3·4	7·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	3·0
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	5·0
	Ragi ...	7·0	7·0	10.0
	Kulthi ...	3·0	3·0	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	4·0
Shimoga.	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·4
	Ragi ...	5·0	6·0	14·48
	Kulthi ...	2·12	3·0	10·2
	Kadale ...	1·8	1 8	...
Chikmagalur.	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·12	3·12	...
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	...
	Kulthi ...	3,8	3 8	...
	Kadale ...	2·8	2·8	...
Chitaldrug	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6 0	6·0	16 0
	Cholum ...	6 0	6·0	15·0
	Kadale ...	2·12	2 12	14 0
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	7·0

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity. Number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—(1) Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

(2) *Crops harvested.*—Paddy and sugarcane are being harvested in parts of Channapatna, Dodballapur and Closepet Taluks.

(3) *Crops sown.*—Nil.

10. Good. Coolies find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. Nil.

Seeds sown.—Sugarcane in Srinivaspur Taluk.

Standing crops.—Vaisaki paddy, sugarcane and potatoes are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane and Potatoes.

10. Good in general.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Blackquarter in Mallahalli Village in Sidlaghatta Taluk, in Koorigepalli and Nelavanki villages in Srinivaspur Taluk and also in Katenahalli village in Gudibanda Taluk. Preventive measures are taken to check the further spread of the disease. Fodder and water are available.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good except for plague in Mallahalli and Ablood Villages in Sidlaghatta Taluk, in Uppukunte Village in Srinivaspur Taluk and also in Kadabur, Gangasandra, Hirebidnur and Sanganahalli villages in Goribidnur Taluk. Necessary preventive measures are taken by the Health Department to check the further spread of the disease.

Cooly classes find labour.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy under some small tanks in Chicknaikanhalli Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknaikanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada, Kortagere and Turuvekere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Kunigal Taluk.

10. Fair in general.

11. Public health is generally good, except for the prevalence of Plague in Chiknaikanhalli, Gubbi, Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks. Preventive measures are being adopted in the affected parts to check the spread of disease.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available. Labour class find sufficient labour.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugarcane.

Crops harvested.—It is reported that paddy and sugarcane in Chamarajnagar Taluk; and ragi in Gundlupet Taluk are being harvested.

10. (1) Satisfactory.
(2) Nil.
(3) Nil.
(4) None under relief.
(5) Sufficient quantities of foodgrains are available throughout the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are available throughout the district.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in the Irwin Canal Area are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane and paddy in the Irwin Canal Area are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair. Fodder and water are available.

11. Public health was generally good except for plague in Hosaholalu Village in Krishnarajpet Taluk. Precautionary measures have been taken to arrest the spread of the disease. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied. Rice is being distributed from Government Co-operative and Village Panchayet Depots.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane is reported to be in good condition in Belur, Alur and Chennarayapatna Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Taluks and ragi in Arkalgud and Alur Taluks are being harvested; and sugarcane is being milled in Hassan Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Water and fodder are available for cattle. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Black quarter" in Badakyathanahalli and Hariharpur Villages in Holenarsipur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have been addressed for taking remedial measures to check the spread of the epidemic.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Sugarcane is reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi and jola in Channagiri Taluk; paddy in Thirthahalli Taluk; paddy, ragi and horsegram in Kumsi Sub-Taluk are being threshed; Hombanda crop is being reaped in Shikarpur Taluk; sugarcane is being crushed in all Taluks.

10. Seasonal condition are reported to be generally good in all the Taluks. Cooly classes find sufficient labour and wages. Foodgrains are available in all parts of the District.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the District. Fodder and water are available in all Taluks.

CHIKMAGALUR.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane and Bengalgram in Chikmagalur Taluk; sugarcane in Kadur, Tarikere, Koppa and in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk; coffee and tea in Koppa Taluk; summer jola in Tarikere Taluk are the standing crops.

The condition of the crops are reported to be satisfactory.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane and gram in Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks; coffee in Mudigere and Koppa Taluks are being harvested.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good in the District, except for the prevalence of the following epidemic diseases:

(i) Plague in some parts of Kadur Taluk in Sringeri Town, and in some parts of Kigga Hobli of Koppa Taluk.

(ii) Cholera in Kortikere Village of Ajjampura Hobli, Tarikere Taluk.

Necessary preventive measures have been taken to check the spread of the above diseases.

Labour is available and the condition of the labour classes is said to be satisfactory.

10. The seasonal conditions are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Foot and Mouth" disease in some villages of Balehonnur Hobli of Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

The Veterinary Department has been addressed to take preventive measures to check the spread of the above disease.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Sowing.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Bilijola, cotton, gram crops, sugarcane in Chitaldrug Taluk; paddy in Hosdurga and Molakalmuru Taluks; paddy, jola, navane, wheat, horsegram, bengalgram in Challakere Taluk; paddy, jola and sugarcane in Hiriyur Taluk; bilijola, cotton, bengalgram in Holalkere Taluk; cotton, sugarcane, gram crops in Davangere Taluk; Bilijola and cotton in Harihar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.